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## GOV. EASLEY APPOINTS BOWMAN TO COMMISSION ON CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL HEALTH CARE NEEDS

**Raleigh** - Gov. Mike Easley has appointed Vicky Suzanne "Sam" Bowman of Mount Airy to the Commission on Children With Special Health Care Needs.

Bowman has been a board member since 2002. Bowman is a member of the ARC in Surry County and the Surry County Schools Exceptional Children's advisory board. In addition, she is co-chair of Family Advisory Council to Children and Youth and a past co-chair of Parent Advisory Council. Bowman attended University of North Carolina at Greensboro and Salem College.

The commission is responsible for monitoring and evaluating the availability and provision of health services to special needs children under the Health Insurance Program for Children in North Carolina. There are eight members on the commission, each serving a two-year term. The governor appoints all members.